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SUBJ: DANES FREEZE NEGOTIATIONS ON DEVELOPMENT LOAN TO CHILE

1. FONMIN ANNOUNCED SEPTEMBER 12 THAT NEGOTIATIONS WITH CHILE FOR A 35 MILLION DANISH KRONER DEVELOPMENT LOAN HAVE BEEN PUT IN ABEYANCE PENDING SETTLEMENT OF PRESENT POLITICAL CONDITIONS IN CHILE. FONMIN STATED THAT PRESENT CONDITIONS EXCLUDED POSSIBILITY OF DANISH LENDING, BUT HELD DOOR OPEN FOR RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS SHOULD CONDITIONS IMPROVE. HE WAS NOT RPT NOT OPTIMISTIC ABOUT FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS.

2. DANISH BILATERAL ASSISTANCE TO CHILE THROUGH 1972 TOTALLED 12,4 MILLION DANISH KRONER, BUT WAS LARGELY TERMINATED BY THE END OF 1971. MAJOR PROJECTS WERE THE CENTRO METALURGICO CHILE-DINAMARCA (7.2 MILLION KRONER); TECHNICAL TRAINING AT THE UNIVERSIDAD DEL NORTE (2.5 MILLION KRONER); AND AN EXPERIMENTAL DAIRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VALDIVIA (2.4 MILLION KRONER).

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ADDITIONALLY, AN UNSPECIFIED AMOUNT OF INSURED EXPORT CREDITS WERE

ISSUED TO CHILE DURING THE 1968-71 PERIOD.

3. CHILE HAS BEEN EXCLUDED FROM DANISH GRANT AID SINCE 1972 PRINCIPALLY BECAUSE ITS PERCAPITA GNP LEVEL IS ABOVE DANISH MAXIMUM FOR SUCH AID. EXPORT CREDITS WERE ALSO ISSUED MORE CAUTIOUSLY BECAUSE OF CREDIT WORTHINESS QUESTION. IN PARIS CLUB CONSIDERATION OF CHILE DEBT DENMARK HAS GENERALLY TAKEN SYMPATHETIC, BUT STILL BUSINESS LIKE, ATTITUDE.

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